

**REMARKS**

In the Amendment, claims 2 and 24 have been canceled without prejudice or disclaimer. Claims 1, 3, 7, 8, 13, 17-23, 25 and 31-37 have been amended and new claims 38 and 39 have been added. Accordingly, claims 1, 3-23 and 25-39 are currently pending in the application. No new matter has been added by this amendment.

Reconsideration and allowance of the claims pending in the application are requested.

**The Office Action**

Claims 34 and 36 have been objected to due to informalities. By the above amendment, the word “adapted” has been changed to “configured”, as suggested by the Examiner.

Claims 1-37 have been rejected under 35 USC 103(a) as being unpatentable over USP 6,961,541 to Overy et al. (hereafter, “Overy”) in view of USP 6,799,287 to Sharma et al. (hereafter, “Sharma”).

**Applicant’s Response**

Before responding to the rejection, the Applicants would like to draw the Examiner’s attention to some of the novel and unobvious features of the claimed invention. The claimed invention transmits protected content stream over a first short-range radio link and while transmitting the data over the first short-range radio link, also transmits via a second, separate radio link the necessary information for converting the protected data stream back into a non-protected/original data stream.

Turning now to the rejection of the claims, USP 6,961,541 to Overy et al. discloses establishing a wireless connection between an initiating device and a responding device by computing a distance or location of the responding device in conformity with a channel time delay between the responding device and a receiver. If the computed location indicates that the responding device is a desired device, a secure connection is then established between the initiating device and the responding device. There is no disclosure or suggestion in Overy et al. of the Applicants’ claimed invention of transmitting protected content stream over a first short-

range radio link and while transmitting the data over the first short-range radio link, also transmits via a second, separate radio link the necessary information for converting the protected data stream back into a non-protected/original data stream.

USP 6,799,287 to Sharma et al. discloses verifying the correctness of an error correcting code algorithm and implementation by using an error injection module to inject random errors into an error correcting code (ECC) circuit between an encoder and a decoder. The encoder encodes data bits with check bits to produce an encoded signal. A decoder decodes the encoded signal, after modification by the error injection module. The output of the decoder is compared to expected values for each signal using a monitoring module. Any differences between the output signals and the expected values may indicate an error in the ECC or in the circuit used to implement the ECC. Neither Sharma et al. taken alone or in combination with Overy et al. discloses or suggests the Applicants' claimed invention of transmitting protected content stream over a first short-range radio link and while transmitting the data over the first short-range radio link, also transmits via a second, separate radio link the necessary information for converting the protected data stream back into a non-protected/original data stream.

Accordingly, the Applicants believe the claims now in the case are patentable over the cited prior art.

## **CONCLUSION**

Based on the foregoing amendments and remarks, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and withdrawal of the rejection of claims and allowance of this application.

**AUTHORIZATION**

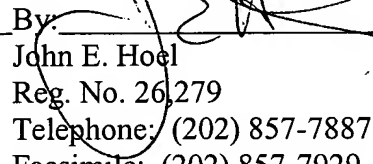
The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required for consideration of this Amendment to Deposit Account No. 13-4500, Order No. 4208-4158. A DUPLICATE OF THIS DOCUMENT IS ATTACHED.

In the event that an extension of time is required, or which may be required in addition to that requested in a petition for an extension of time, the Commissioner is requested to grant a petition for that extension of time which is required to make this response timely and is hereby authorized to charge any fee for such an extension of time or credit any overpayment for an extension of time to Deposit Account No 13-4500, Order No. 4208-4158. A DUPLICATE OF THIS DOCUMENT IS ATTACHED.

Respectfully submitted,

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